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Hello: Schools need computers. Microsoft stands in a position to provide some \$1 Billion in computers for schools. This settlement provides nothing but a cheap [beautifully packaged], exclusive marketing campaign to a "captured" underage audience. This settlement is a sham and disgrace to all parties involved. You have Open Source software with unlimited technical support, free updates, local, state, and national Users' groups ready and willing to assist, software that out-performs Microsoft on every level for "no cost", yet you continue to press for "justice" through some perverse reward system designed to benefit Microsoft in a way that lottery players can only dream about?

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